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There follow confirmation texts of the two new provisions which MacArthur authorized embassy to add to the treaty, in reply to ~~W.L~~ 2064:

ms (1) Add the following paragraph to the end of the Protocol, where it would be numbered as 15:

"15. During a transitional period of three years from the date of signature of the present treaty, Japan may continue to apply special restrictions on the purchase by aliens, with residence, of interests in Japanese companies. ~~W.L~~

(2) Add the following sentence to paragraph 3 of the Protocol (which also relates to Art. VII, para. 3):

"3. With reference to the second sentence of that paragraph, Japan shall be entitled, except in respect of banking activities, to withhold national treatment from enterprises of nationals or companies of the United States of America to the extent that the State in which such nationals are domiciled, or pursuant to whose laws such company is organized, does not accord national treatment to enterprises of nationals and companies of Japan. ~~W.L~~

In placing this provision with another which relates to the same provision of the treaty, it will appear in proper sequence without upsetting the present numbering of the articles.

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